

Christian 2017-2018 Artist Series

PRESENTED BY FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BONITA SPRINGS



Concert Ticket Office
239-992-3410

A new series!

First Presbyterian Church of Bonita Springs is proud to offer a brand-new series of concerts that present great Christian artists to our community. Our inaugural season offers three concerts, including a performance by recording artist Sandi Patty, making her last tour of live performances.

Sandi Patty is one of the most highly acclaimed performers of our time with five Grammy® awards, four Billboard Music Awards, three platinum records, five gold records, 40 Dove awards and 11 million recordings sold. She is simply known as “The Voice.”

Huntley Brown has wowed our congregation in worship services with his passionate and inspiring performances. Hearing him in concert will give you the opportunity to hear about his spiritual journey from learning to play by ear as a child in Jamaica to performing electrifying music all over the world.

Lindsey Graham is a highly gifted artist whose love for Christ is contagious! Her ambition is “to reach the lost and encourage believers in the Lord.” Lindsey has a voice that is powerful and full of clarity. With her bubbly personality and positive attitude, you will leave this concert truly uplifted.

You may order tickets through the mail, by calling our ticket office (**239-992-3410**), or online at **fpcbonita.org/tickets**.

I know you will not want to miss any of these concerts, but we also hope you will share these performance opportunities with members of our community. The Spirit of the Lord will be alive and present in these performances!

Jeff Faux

Director of Sacred Arts

First Presbyterian Church, Bonita Springs

"I am grateful for the many opportunities for God has given in my life and for how He has allowed me to spread my wings. Singing is my way to tell my story of hope, life, and love."

– *Sandi Patty*

hope
life
love

Our inaugural season!

Huntley Brown

■ **January 14, 2018** (Sunday) | **3:00 PM** | **\$10**



The music of this international concert pianist has been described as inspired, anointed, powerful, and explosive. Huntley grew up in a Christian home on the island of Jamaica. Without knowing how to read music, he learned to play piano by imitating his brothers and listening to recordings. After high school, Huntley earned a living by playing keyboard in hotels and piano bars but this left him conflicted.

He decided to rededicate his life to Christ; this led him to the United States where he enrolled at Judson University (Elgin, IL) earning a degree in piano performance. He continued his studies at Northern Illinois University where he met his wife. Since then, Huntley's music ministry has taken him all over the world. In the USA, he has performed from coast to coast at churches of every size and denomination—from the Crystal Cathedral to Willow Creek to First Church, right here in Bonita Springs. An ordained minister, he is currently the pianist for Ruth Graham and Friends Ministries, and often travels with the Franklin Graham evangelism team. Huntley's work has recently expanded to include teaching and leading seminars on music and worship; he even joined the staff of Judson University as the first-ever artist in residence. His concerts and CDs cover a wide range of musical styles, including classical, jazz, gospel and reggae.

Sandi Patty

A Celebration of Faith, Family & Freedom

■ **February 18, 2018** (Sunday) | **6:00 PM** | **\$15** (\$20 after 12/31)



Introduced to the world with her rendition of *The Star-Spangled Banner* during the rededication of the Statue of Liberty in 1986, Sandi became one of the country's best-loved performers virtually overnight. She is now the most awarded female vocalist in contemporary Christian music history. Sandi is known for her wide vocal range, flexibility, and emotional expression. While her thirty-year career is rooted in the gospel music industry, she has recently expanded her career outside the genre. Sandi has performed with symphonies across the country—including the New York Pops, Boston Pops, Baltimore Symphony, and Houston Symphony, headlined the title role in sold-out performances of the musical "Hello, Dolly!" with the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra (2012), and written seven books (her latest received the 2006 Silver Angel Award). Sandi's down-to-earth style and sturdy common sense have endeared her to Women of Faith® audiences, with whom she has traveled since 2005. To many, she is an example of the freedom that comes from learning how to move on by letting God use her in any circumstance.

To purchase VIP or advance seating tickets for Sandi Patty, please visit fpcbonita.org/tickets.

Lindsey Graham

■ **March 18, 2018** (Sunday) | **3:00 PM** | **\$10**

Born and raised in Kentucky, Lindsey is a gifted vocalist naturally drawn to gospel music. Her call to ministry has always focused on Christian music as the way to reach out and uplift others toward Jesus. She has shared the stage with many gospel greats—including the Crabb Family, the Booth Brothers, Triumphant Quartet, the Isaacs and the Dixie Echoes—and recently traveled full time with the Taylors, making appearances in North America, Sweden, and Ireland. In 2011, Lindsey also traveled to Europe as a guest soloist with the Bach Ensemble of Naples (Naples, FL). With a Bachelor of Music from Belmont University in Nashville, she is formally trained in voice, piano and flute, and incorporates these into her concerts. She also earned a Masters of Arts in Religion with emphasis in Worship Studies from Liberty University. Lindsey continues her classical vocal studies and performs with the Naples Opera Society. Local baseball fans may have heard her sing the National Anthem and the Canadian Anthem for the Boston Red Sox during spring training games in Fort Myers. Lindsey has also served as music leader for the Saturday evening praise service at First Church of Bonita.



As an added convenience this year, you may purchase tickets to our Christian Artist Series online. Go to **fpcbbonita.org/tickets** where you can make a secure purchase.

Ticket Order Form

Please indicate the number of tickets you would like for each event.

	No. tickets		Total
Huntley Brown January 14, 2018 3:00 PM	<input type="text"/>	x \$10 =	<input type="text"/>
Sandi Patty February 18, 2018 6:00 PM	<input type="text"/>	x \$15* =	<input type="text"/>
Lindsey Graham March 18, 2018 3:00 PM	<input type="text"/>	x \$10 =	<input type="text"/>
		TOTAL	<input type="text"/>

**Tickets for Sandi Patty are \$20 after December 31, 2017.*

Tickets will be mailed to the address you provide below.

Mailing name _____

Street address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Pay by check, payable to FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Credit card # _____ Exp. _____

CVV Code _____ Billing Zip Code _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Please detach this completed form and mail with payment to:

Concert Ticket Office, First Presbyterian Church, PO Box 2168, Bonita Springs, FL 34133.

Concert Ticket Office

Monday-Thursday, 9 AM-3:30 PM

Scott Fox, Ticket Office Manager | 239-992-3410 or sfox@fpcbonita.org

Located just inside the main entrance of the church.



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